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For: INFORMATION TERMINAL CAPABLE OF ORIGINATING A CALL, METHOD OF  
ORIGINATING A CALL AND RECORDING MEDIUM WHICH STORES THE  
PROGRAM FOR ORIGINATING A CALL

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated May 22,  
2003.

**REMARKS**

**I. Introduction**

Pending claims 1-23 have been examined and are rejected. Specifically, claims 1-23 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over Bayless et al., U.S. Patent No. 5,754,636 (hereinafter "Bayless"), in view of Coad et al., U.S. Patent No. 5,966,652 (hereinafter "Coad").

Applicant traverses the rejection of claims 1-23 as follows.